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Mr. Thomas Dorman Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: PSC Case No. 2000-079

Dear Mr. Dorman:

Please file the enclosed letter in the above-styled case (the Application of East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. for Approval of a Power Purchase Agreement with Kentucky Pioneer Energy, LLC).

Very truly yours,

Dale W. Henley General Counsel

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Mr. Harry Graves
Project Director
Kentucky Pioneer Energy, L.L.C.
312 Walnut Street, Ste. 2000
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Dear Harry:

EKPC has decided not to issue a notice of termination at this time. Our decision is based upon the pendency of KPE's application before the Kentucky State Board of Electric Generation and Transmission Siting in Case No. 2002-00312 and our status as an intervening party in that proceeding.

Sincerely yours,

Roy M. Pal

President and Chief Executive Officer

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c: Michael Musulin, President, Kentucky Pioneer Energy – CERTIFIED MAIL Kenneth C. H. Willig, Esq., Piper & Marbury, L.L.P. Administrator, RUS Kentucky Public Service Commission